

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Tricomi et al. **GROUP:** 4146
SERIAL NO: 10/531,141 **EXAMINER:** Robert T. Huber
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FOR: CARRIER DEVICE FOR MONOLITHIC INTEGRATED CIRCUITS

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

This amendment is in response to the Official Action dated January 24, 2008. Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claims 2-9 and 13-15, cancel claims 1, 11 and 12 and add claims 16-17 as follows: